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BCC Has Strong Economic Impact on Area

College Generates 8 Times More Spending Than It Costs

Broome Community College generated eight times more spending volume in Broome County than it cost the County Government during the 1975-76 fiscal year, according to a recently completed study, entitled "The Economic Impacts of

the College on the Local Community

The study also disclosed that if there were no college here, County Government would not save any tax money and county business would lose about \$16,500,000 in sales.

The study was conducted by Professors Richard Romano and Norman Herbert of BCC's economics faculty, and it was funded by the college's Alumni Associa-

"In the study, we have shown that the college is an economic as

well as educational asset to the community," Romano said.

Specifically, it shows that operating the college in the 1975-76 year cost Broome County Government 1.3 million dollars, but the total business generated by college activity in that year was 10.7 million dollars.

This large impact is due to the fact that the College finances 70% of its budget with dollars from outside the County. This is new money coming into Broome County and once it gets here a good deal of it tends to stay here and is recirculated in our local

The study also shows that if the College were closed it would have resulted in 16.5 million dollars of lost sales for Broome County businesses in 1975-76. This lost business takes into account the reduction in local spending that would occur when families have to send their sons and daughters to colleges outside the county.

The study also showed that if the College were eliminated the local sponsor would not save the \$1.3 million it contributes to the College's operation, because state law would require that it pay out approximately that amount to educate those young people at other community colleges in the state.

Romano and Herbert point out that the primary function of a college is educational educate and turn out knowledgeable, creative, productive and responsible citizens."

They also note that there are long-term economic benefits of a college as the graduates become a more informed part of the community, and probably earn more money and hence pay higher taxes in later years.

But their purpose in this study was to assess the short-term economic impact of the college on the community. "We were surprised to discover what a potent impact BCC has on the economy of Broome County,' they said.

And we were absolutely (Continued on page 8)

County Grants Modified Plan C

The tight fiscal controls that Plan A impose on the operation of Broome Community College were finally relaxed a bit by the Broome County Legislature this

By a 16-2 vote, the Legislature gave the college a modified Plan C method of operation - for a

two-year trial period.

Plan A calls for line-by-line financial control of the college by the County Legislature, which is the college's sponsor. A full Plan C gives the college the leeway to use the money budgeted at the start of the fiscal year with much greater flexibility

BCC has been trying to move from Plan A to Plan C for more than 20 years, and the first step was accomplished this year. A special committee of the Legisla-ture, chaired by Donald M. Flanagan, met for almost a year with a committee of the BCC Board of Trustees, and they finally reached agreement on this modified Plan C.

Though far short of the college's goal, this plan was called "the first step toward a full Plan C" by BCC President Peter Blomerley and BCC Board of Trustees chairman Carl R. Trustees Gitlitz. They interpreted the change as a vote of confidence by the County Legislature in the BCC Board of Trustees.

The changes include:

Authorization to hire employees at salaries up to 25% above the minimum salary for the position, with only the approval of the Employees Committee of the Legislature

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Norman Spafford had to keep his head up to properly balance the three "hard hats" he wore during the graduation procession and the ceremonies. He is a Civil Technology graduate.

First Increase Since '73 **Puts Tuition at \$700**

For the first time in four years, tuition at Broome Community College will be raised. Tuition for the 1977-78 academic year has been increased from \$650 to \$700 a year. Since tuition is payable at the beginning of each of the college's two semesters, it comes to \$350 per semester.

The tuition is still well below the legal limit of \$750 per year, as BCC trustees and officials are still attempting to keep it as low as possible.

The \$350 per semester tuition is

the charge for residents of Broome County and the other counties in New York State. Out-of-state residents will have to pay \$700 per semester or \$1,400 per year.

Part-time student tuition has also been increased — from \$25 per credit hour to \$27 per semester for New York State residents. The charge is double that for out-of-state residents -

or \$54 per semester.
The BCC Board of Trustees passed the tuition increase at the June meeting.

Five Groups Honor Pufky by Establishing **Funds in His Memory**

The unexpected death in April of Robert N. Pufky, BCC's popular director of admission, has had a profound effect on many people. And it has moved at least five groups to establish memorial funds in his honor.

These groups include his colleagues at BCC, the students at the college, the high school guidance counselors of the area, and his fellow Rotarians in the Hillcrest Rotary Club.

The funds established are:

• The Robert N. Pufky Memorial Scholarship for Handicapped Students at BCC. This fund was established by the students at the college, and in announcing it at graduation, United Student Government President Kathi Scott described "Mr. Pufky as a man who always cared."

She revealed that the students were putting \$3,000 into the fund to start it, and that the interest only would be used to help handicapped students entering the college. This was the stu-

dents' graduation gift to the

"The \$3,000 is a starting base," Ms. Scott said. "We welcome all contributions.'

• A collection for Pufky's family was contributed by his colleagues at BCC.

• The BCC students also made a cash contribution to the Pufky family, as they held a special mixer for this purpose.

• The two organizations of high school guidance counselors in the area have started a scholarship fund for Pufky's three children who range in age from 7 to 12. These are the Binghamton Area Association of Student Personnel Services (BAASPS) and the Southern Tier Personnel and Guidance Association.

• The Hillcrest Rotary Club, of which Pufky was vice-president, has established the Robert Pufky Award in the form of an annual \$200 scholarship to a deserving senior at Chenango Valley High School who has been accepted at Broome Community College

Robert N. Pufky in a 1972 picture

Trustees Honor Pufky

The Board of Trustees of Broome Community College unanimously passed the following resolution in praise of Robert N. Pufky:

WHEREAS, Robert N. Pufky served Broome Community College with great distinction as its Director of Admissions for 10 years, during which the College's greatest enrollment growth took place, and

WHEREAS, the College suffered a great loss when he passed away with shocking suddenness on April 16, 1977,

WHEREAS, he unselfishly gave his time and talents in performing many extra duties, such as chairing and serving on more than his share of committees and being available to people in the community who sought information about college admissions at other colleges as well as at Broome Community College, and

WHEREAS, he demonstrated great versatility of ability by serving the College at various times as Coordinator of Student Affairs, teacher of Psychology and acting Vice President of Student Affairs, as well as Director of Admissions, and

WHEREAS, his fine sense of humor, cheerful disposition, sincerity and reliability enabled him to maintain excellent rapport with colleagues on the campus, high school guidance counsellors and applicants for admission to the College and their parents, and

WHEREAS, he was deeply respected, highly regarded and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, That this Board of Trustees on behalf of the College extends its profound sympathy to his wife, Rosemary Pufky, and their children, John, Diane and Kathleen, and to his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Michael Pufky, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board awards him emeritus status for his loyal and effective years of performance at the College, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the Board publicly proclaims that the College was indeed fortunate to have Robert Pufky in the key post of Director of Admissions during the important 10-year period from 1967 to 1977.

Death Came Suddenly To Robert Pufky at 40

He felt good on the last day of his life. He came to work in the morning, and he was his usually cheerful self. He played tennis during the lunch hour, and spoke enthusiastically in the afternoon about the dance he and his wife were going to that evening. There wasn't the faintest indication that he wouldn't be in to work again.

And then shortly after mid-night, on April 16, Bob Pufky collapsed while dancing. It seemed like a heart attack, and three experienced people spent more than half an hour giving him cardio-pulmonary resuscita-

But he never responded, because he died of a floating blood clot - an embolism.

Bob Pufky, the popular and capable director of admissions at Broome Community College, died at the very premature age of

Everyone who knew him was shocked, stunned and saddened — his colleagues at BCC, the high school guidance counselors he dealt with, the many BCC applicants through the years, his fellow Rotary Club members, his many friends and relatives.

Of course, those hit the hardest were his wife, Rosemary, his three children John, Diane and Kathleen, ages 12 to 7, and his mother and father.

Bob Pufky came to BCC in 1963 as coordinator of student activities and part-time teacher of psychology. After two years, he left to attend Syracuse University and earn his Masters degree. He then returned to BCC in 1967 and served the college for 10 years as director of admissions.

He also was acting vice-president for student affairs for eight months during the 1975-76 college

A native of Johnson City, he had earned his baccalaureate degree from SUNY College at Oswego, was a U.S. Navy veteran, and was vice-president of the Hillcrest Rotary Club at the time of his passing.

Contributions Still Welcome

Any readers of this BCC TODAY Newsletter who would like to contribute to the Robert Pufky Memorial Scholarship for Handicapped Students at BCC can do so by sending a check or money order to the BCC

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Over 1,000 Enrolled in Summer Courses

1,036 Students **Exclusive** of **Mini Courses**

With summertime being vacation time, many people are sur-prised to learn that more than 1,000 people are busily engaged in taking credit courses at the BCC campus during the current Summer Session.

The enrollment in these credit courses numbered 1,036 during the first week of classes. And that figure is sure to rise, as there will be a second session starting on July 25.

In addition, there are two series of non-credit mini courses one starting in the middle of July and the other early in

August.

As usual, most of the students in these courses are residents of Broome County, and many are regular students at out-of-town colleges.

SUNY Award In Teaching to **BCC's Firenze**

Richard F. Firenze, assistant professor of biology at Broome Community College, has been honored by receiving the SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence In Teaching.

He is one of 63 faculty members of the State University of New York's 64 campuses to be cited.

The award carries with it a \$500 grant to recipients.

Criteria for the award were effective classroom teaching techniques, scholarship in the field or discipline, good relationships with students, and success in helping them achieve academic excellence.

Firenze is the second BCC faculty member to earn this award in the five years it has been given. The late Gabriel O. Cappellucci was so honored

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Foundation, Broome Community College, Binghamton, N.Y. 13902.

In making the announcement at graduation of this special scholarship to perpetuate the memory of BCC's director of admissions who died in April, United Student Government President Kathi Scott stressed that contributions from outsiders would be most welcome.

All contributions will become part of the fund, from which the interest will be used each year to provide scholarships for deserving handicapped students at

Librarian Joan Foley **Retires After 30 Years at BCC**

Joan L. Foley, one of the coriginals" at Broome Community College, has retired after 30 years of service to the college and the community.

She was one of the people who was hired before the first classes

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began in September of 1947. While the library was her area. she performed many and diverse duties

She has been library clerk, director of the library and librarian, as well as serving on all major committees of the college, chaperoning many student trips and functions, and being advisor to a number of student

She was responsible, too, for many years for keeping the library's acquisitions current with the growing number of curricula at the college.

She has also been active in the community college movement statewide during its pioneering

years and since. She has been a long-standing member of the NY State Association of Junior Colleges, a founding member of the Two-Year Units Librarians group, and a producing member of many committees of the State University of New York.

She is a native of New York City, and she went to college at what is now the SUNY College at Oneonta, as well as the SUNY

College at Geneseo.

Joan will continue to live in Binghamton and will "now have a chance to do those many things that I have always wanted to do and just didn't have time for.

We wish her good luck and good health in her retirement.

New Department Heads Named

Three new department heads | have been named at Broome Community College and 17 were reappointed, effective at the start of the fall semester, which begins August 29.

The three new chairpersons, who have two-year terms, are:

• James Spalik in the Chemistry and Chemical Technology Department. He is a graduate of BCC who has his Masters degree from Clarkson, and he has been on the BCC faculty for 13 years.

• Dr. Frederick Johnson in the Dental Hygiene Department. He has been the consulting dentist at

BCC for the last three years.

• Marcia Kucera in the Secretarial Sciences Depart-

ment. She has been on the BCC faculty since 1972.

Ten of the department chairpersons have been given threeyear appointments and 10 have been named for two-year terms. The reason for the difference is to eliminate having to fill all 20 positions at the same time in the

The 10 with the three-year terms are:

Stephen Steele in Civil Technology, Herbert Durst in Mechanical Technology, Robert Reid in Electrical Technology, Jack Foster in Engineering Science and Physics, Paul Chambers in Humanities, Charles Quagliata in English, Thomas Rossi in Marketing, George Ferrari in Biological Sciences and Medical Laboratory Technology, Nancy Button in Radiologic Technology, Florence Ewanow in Nursing.

Those given two-year appointments are:

Mary Diegert in Mathematics, Douglas Garnar in History and Government, Richard Romano in Social Sciences, Ozmun Winters in Physical Education, Ralph Newton in Accounting and Business Administration, Mary Rosato in Medical Record Technology, Mary Schum in Medical Office Assistant, in addition to Spalik, Dr. Johnson and Kucera.

BCC Alumnus is Only Male Graduate at Keuka

EDITORS NOTE - Our thanks to Karen McMahon [LA-68] for sending us a copy of a feature story in The Geneva Times about Scott Quincy Garfield, RN-75 at BCC. The following is based on that story.

Karen, incidentally, is now the associate director of admissions at Keuka.

A Broome Community College graduate was the only male student to graduate from Keuka College this spring. Scott Quincy Garfield received his baccalaure-

ate degree along with 129 women.

"Keuka is still an all women's college," Garfield explained, "but the nursing program must accept males because the government mandates that any health science program must be non-

discriminatory in enrollment."

Keuka College is located in Keuka Park, N.Y., near Penn

Garfield is a 1975 graduate of BCC's nursing curriculum, and he said he chose Keuka College because of the fine reputation of its nursing program. "It was highly recommended by some of my instructors at BCC," he said.

Although Scott was the only male student among the 600 women at the college, he did not play the field socially. He dated only one Keuka girl in his two years there, and then he married her. Virginia graduated this spring also.

Scott has been accepted at the Yale Graduate School of Nursing for the fall.

Alumni Re-Elect **James Sarpolis**

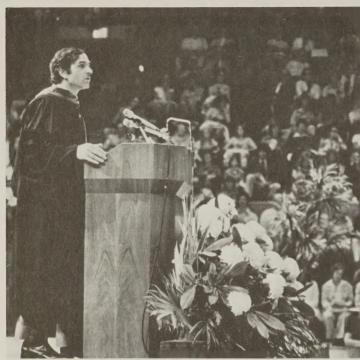
James Sarpolis, a 1971 graduate of Broome Community College, has been re-elected president of the BCC Alumni Association. His term is for one

Other officers elected by the organization are vice-president Francis Short and treasurer James Caverly.

Short was re-elected to his position while this is the first time that Caverly has been an officer of the association. Caverly, incidentally, is the assistant basketball coach at BCC, where he teaches in the business program.

The Board of Directors of the association consists of the three above-named new officers, along with Dorothy Combs, Shirley Kilker, Sue Pierce, Robert Di-Nunzio, Thomas Franchina and Michael Vanuga, who is also co-chairman of the Broome County Bicentennial Committee.

Grads Share the Limelight with Sorrentino



Judge Joseph N. Sorrentino during his commencement address at the BCC graduation.

High Honor Graduates

These students graduated with high honors

Apalachin — Mary Damico, Donna Shriver.

Binghamton — Robert Ash, Michael Bailey, Jack Barietta, Kathy Belensky, Karen Bobik, Geradine Boyd, John Bumbalo, Michael Bunts, Thomas Buongiorne, Michael Burdick, Barbara Campbell, Patricia Clinton, Andrea Colby, Lorraine Dingman, Steven Dzierba, Suzanne Erle, Steven Ferranti, Susan Galloway, Wendy Graham, Robert Greene, Linda Halaburka, Gary Huber.

Huber.
Carole Kaley, Margaret Kankus, Jean
Lacey, Doris Leskovich, Terence Maher,
Susan Marier, Nancy Martin, James
McCabe, Rebecca Moser, Sandra Neulon,
John O'Neill, Jr., Jerome Ozovek, Brian
Pendleton, Patricia Petko, Mark Pichette,
Renee Raychel, Martin Reagan, Robbin
Shaheen, Joseph Sinchak, Gail Surski,
John Slocum, Rebecca Smith, Joy Smyder,
Douglas Spring, Meryl Stark, Charles
Wadsworth, Theo Ward, Hans Weil.

Brooklyn — Joan Greenberg. Castle Creek — Patricia Douglas, Diane

Chenango Forks - Donna Pedini, Lois

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Westgate
Conklin — Jëffery Creery.
Deposit — Sandra Martin.
East Meadow — Ila Jacobs.
Elmira — David Elliott.

Endwell — Marilyn Angelo, Kim Atherton, Bryan Benjamin, Sharon Lupo, David Setta, Mark Wakulchik. Greene — Alfred Amell, Margaret

Endicott — Catherine Brewster, Mary Cowan, Joseph Formato, James Frederici, Gene George, Steve Gregor, Cynthia Griffith, Nancy Havel, Mary Kamin, Ronald Kuracina, Dennise McBride, Kathleen McKenzle, Janet Miller, David O'Riordian, Walter Porzucek, Kathleen Roma, Marilyn Sander, Nicholas Scalzo, Patricia Shaughnesy, Frances Snavely, Daniel Thrasher, Michael Tomsey, Steven Webb, Terry Wier, Carla Wood, Charles Yungkurth.

Harpursville — Francis White.
Homer — Leonard Canale, Gordon Gay.
Johnson City — Beverly Burns, Michael
Chambala, Linda Elisworth, Elaine Englert,
Annette Franchina, Theresa Houghtalen,
John Kaufman, Albert Korbar III, Daniel
Krizinofski, Barbara Sulich.
Kirkwood — Thomas Jones.

Newark Valley - Debrah Muska, Donna

Nichols - Jeffrey Gregory.

Oneonta — Jane Moore. Owego — Rhonda Caswell, James Strick.

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Port Crane — David Kennicutt, Duane
Shaffer, Richard Wall.

Utica — Alfonso Rodriquez.

Vestal — Joseph Bolan, William Brodsky,
Bonnie Clark, Thomas Clover, Judith
Cunning, Jane Husebo, Charlene McDermott, Carol Nunn, Ted Preisendanz, Laurie
Reed, Sharon Reed, Susan Rockefeller,
Linda Runne, Mary Schramm, Mark Shalkey,
Jean VanHoff, Robert Wickman, Ted Zinski.

White Plains — Cynthia Sumper.

Windsor — Mary Miller, Rebecca Olin,
Deborah Simmons, Evangeline Swingle,
Cindy VanHorn.

Deborah Simmons, Evangeline Swingle, Cindy VanHorn. Pennsylvania — Maureen Dotzel (Wilkes-Barre), Kathleen Englehart (Weatherly), Patricia Lesjack (Forest City).

Graduation speaker Judge Joseph N. Sorrentino was one of the reasons the 1977 commencement exercises were among the best ever held in Broome Community College's 31-year history. The graduates themselves constituted another.

They created a happy and informal mood for the proceedings, as BCC President Peter Blomerley had correctly predicted in his brief but interesting remarks.

'Something will happen before the end of the evening to ease the tension of the formality of this occasion," he said. "I don't know what, but I just know something will happen.'

The graduates were a responsive audience throughout, reacting enthusiastically not only to Sorrentino's message but to the remarks of the other speakers as

They had party noise poppers and confetti, and two graduates at the end of the academic procession wore the respective words on their back of their gowns - THE END.

The graduates entered the Broome County Veterans Memorial Arena with some of them wearing unique headwear plastic hard hats by the Civil Technology graduates, including one high roller who stacked three of them on his head and kept them there during the ceremonies. The Medical Laboratory Technology graduates fashioned paper crowns that proclaimed 'Super Lab Tech.'

And the Radiologic Technology graduates each wore a letter on their caps to spell out "X-ray Technicians Know All the Positions."

Sorrentino lived up to his reputation as a fine speaker, and his message was on a wave length the graduates could tune to. And they did. So did the older people in the audience - the parents, relatives, friends and guests - about 4,000 altogether.

Sorrentino's background as a Brooklyn street gang member, as a prison inmate and as a dishonorable dischargee from the Marine Corps gave his message a unique perspective of authenticity. He spoke from his own experience.

He told the graduates to reach down to the deepest level of their own promise and not be satisfied with what he called the "mass self." Don't be afraid to make a unique statement, remembering though that "nothing unique comes easy."

"You have to run some risks to do a good job; nothing is accomplished by playing it safe."

In that connection he cited his decision to make a unique statement, when he was called on to speak at graduation as the valedictorian at Harvard Law School at age 29.

"I could have played it safe, but I decided to make a unique statement," he said. And that statement catapulted him into the national spotlight, as TIME Magazine called it the best graduation speech of that year.

He received his best ovation of the evening when he pointed out that the most scientific test yet devised does not measure one's drive, determination or heart. And he stressed the importance of these qualities in the ultimate success of an individual in life.

Sorrentino had made a remarkable turnabout in his own life, when he finally made a selfdetermination that he did not want to spend the rest of his life plucking chickens, eating blood as a boxer and picking up drop-pings, all of which had been among the 30 unskilled jobs he

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United Student Government President Kathi Scott, BCC President Peter Blomerley and Judge Joseph N. Sorrentino just before they started the academic procession at the commencement exercises.

894 Graduates Put BCC Total over 12,000



Graduates in the BCC Radiologic Technology program line up in the proper order, so that the letters on their caps can be read to form the words, "X-ray Technicians Know All the Positions."

Oldest in Class of 1977 Is 64 Years of Age

Class of 1977 at Broome Community College to bring to more than 12,000 the number of graduates through the years at State Tech, then Broome Tech and now BCC, as the college has been variously nicknamed. State Tech, of course, was short

for the New York State Technical Institute of Applied Arts and Sciences, which was the college's first name in 1946. Then it was

3 Receive Alumni Assn. **Scholarships**

The BCC Alumni Association gave three scholarships to graduates of the Class of 1977. These were announced at the commencement exercises and the announcement came as a surprise to the recipients, as well as to everyone else in attendance.

Renee Raychel, Joseph Sin-chak and Rebecca Gracin were the recipients of the annual Alumni scholarships of \$200 each to help these graduates continue their higher education toward their baccalaureate degrees. James Sarpolis, president of the Alumni Association, made the announcement at graduation.

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had worked at in his teen years. So he went back to high school at night, graduated with the highest average ever in that school and then went on to college and Harvard Law School. His success in California since then also affirms his ability, as he has been called "the best juvenile court judge in the world" by wellknown attorney F. Lee Bailey.

There were 894 graduates in the | mercifully changed to Broome County Technical Institute in 1953, when it became a community college and was nick-named Broome Tech.

That name stuck through the next official name change to Broome Technical Community College in 1956. When the word "technical" was dropped in 1971, the name became Broome Community College and the nick name BCC

The graduating class this year again exemplified the diversity that is characteristic of community college student bodies. For example:

• The ages ranged all the way up to 64 years old.

• There were mothers who returned to college after raising families, like Dorothy Anne Van Housen who has seven children.

· Sons and daughters of BCC graduates followed in their parents' footsteps.

• Among the graduates were Kim McManus, daughter of Broome County Executive Donald L. McManus; Nancy Libous, daughter of Binghamton Mayor Alfred Libous; and Jane Husebo, wife of Vestal superintendent of schools Raymond Husebo.

Jane was also one of those who had raised a family and returned to study nursing. She did very well, too, graduating with High Honors and a 4.00 comulative grade point average for all courses at BCC.

• 6 graduates earned two degrees — Sherrie Brennan, Ronald Kerneklian, Jack Barletta, Mary O'Neill, Francis White and Robert Wickman.

• 6 others received a second degree, having successfully completed the Joint Degree Program at BCC and Harpur College. They were Alan Bergman, Margaret Boardman, Joseph Bolan, Joan Greenberg, Nancy Perkins and Cynthia Keefe.

15 Graduate with 4.00

A total of 15 graduates Joseph Sinchak in Liberal Arts. completed all their courses at BCC with straight "A" averages. They were:

Hans Weil, Michael Chambala, Thomas Clover and Laurie Reed in Accounting; Jane Husebo, Meryl Stark and Cynthia Sumper in Nursing; Suzanne Erle and

Also Steve Ferranti in Industrial Technology, Renee Raychel in Business Administration, David Elliott in Electrial Technology, Jane Moore in Medical Record Technology, Joseph Bolan in Engineering Science, Deborah Simmons in Radiologic Techno-

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Please send me the following checked below:
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 Fall 1977 Enening Course Schedule (available late July)
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☐ Continuing Education Evening Bulletin
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☐ Newspaper Courses for Credit
Name
Address

City, State.....Zip.....Zip......

and curriculum?....

Mail to: Office of Continuing Education **Broome Community College** Binghamton, New York 13902

Around the Campus

The campus was the site for an unusual happening on April 24 when the students in the BCC Theater Company performed three one-act plays with the playwright in the audience.

He is Leonard Melfi, the Binghamtonian who has made good as a playwright on Broadway, and he said he enjoyed the performance immensely. Then he and the cast members spent the rest of the evening together informally at Morey's to make it a memorable experience for the student actors and for Melfi.

George Ferrari, who had been serving as acting dean of health sciences, suffered a mild attack in May. He has been taking it easy this summer (though working hard at losing weight), and he expects to be back for full duty in the fall as chairman of the Biological Sciences and Medical Laboratory Technology Depart-

Judith Cahill has resigned from the Board of Trustees because she moved out of town. She served for 21/2 years.

Faculty Moves - William Nichols in Chemical Technology has retired, and David Kenien and Dennis O'Day in Mechanical and Civil Technology resigned to join the NY State Electric & Gas Corp. Kenien was at BCC for 9 years and Nichols for 7.

Ben Kasper has moved from the History and Government Department to become the assistant director of financial

Senior Citizens Day on campus in May attracted more than 400 of these fine people. Educational workshops, health clinics, entertainment and lunch were featured, as the event co-sponsored by BCC, the Broome County Office for Aging, and Action for Older Persons.

The college also conducted a special "Seniors Teaching Seniors'' program to prepare these older New Yorkers to teach their peers about consumer affairs and problems at various senior citizen centers in the area. The program was funded by a federal

The college thanks Lucia Sprague of Calicoon for her thoughtful gift of photographic printing paper, worth more than

She is a retired teacher of art and photography in Calicoon, who has recently decided to end 40 years of operating a photo studio in Calicoon.

Having heard many good words about Broome Community College from former students through the years, she said she decided to give this paper to the college. She even delivered it, driving it to the campus in her station wagon.

A mini tour to Stratford, Ontario, the Shakespeare capitol of North America, is set for Aug. 26-28. See 2 plays, "As You Like It" and "All's Well That Ends Well." The deadline to register is July 25. Call the BCC Mini Course for details.

Academic Awards

A total of 35 Broome Community College students were honored for academic achievements during the recently completed semester.

The awards were given by off-campus agencies, societies and organizations who give annual recognition to BCC students for outstanding perfor-mance in their particular fields of

The award winners and the donors:

The American Society for Testing and Materials Award to Nicholas Scalzo.

Association of Educators in Radiologic Technology in NY State Award to Deborah

Broome County Chamber of Commerce Awards to Mary O'Neill and Richard Wall. Broome County Dental Society Awards to Kim Hartford and Dorothy Hart.

Broome County Medical Society Award to Barbara Dodd.

Colonial TV Award to David Elliott.

Consulate General of Germany Awards to John Cahral Madeleine Herrmann Monica

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers Awards to Corey Arnold, Bruce Billings, Catherine Brewster, Teresa Pike.

Medical Record Association of NY State Award to Jane Moore.

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Engi-eering and Science Medal to Joseph

Stevenson Dental Hygiene Medal to Maureen Dotzel.

Tau Alpha Pi National Honor Society selection for engineering technology students — Ronald Kuracina, Kathleen McKenzie, Terry Sinclair, Huong Vu, Steven Webb, David Kennicutt, Paul Koerts, Nicholas Scalzo, John Barron, Leonard Canale, David Elliott, James Frederici, Tedd Preisendanz, Mark Shalkey.

U.S. Greene Mathematics Award to Steven

Chapter of Sigma Phi Upsilon National Dental Hygiene Honor Society — Kim Atherton, Maureen Dotzel, Jean Van Hoff

William E. Wilson Memorial Civil Tech-Broome County Republican Women's nology Faculty Award to David Kennicutt

4.00 for Last Term

The following BCC students earned an "A" in every one of thier subjects during the recently completed spring semester to achieve a 4.00 grade point average.

Bainbridge - Donald Cook

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Christopher Hay, David House, Kenneth Klinko, Sharon Lilley, Susan Marier, Kevin Murray, Sandra Neulon, Jerome Ozovek, Patricia Petko, Rosalina Randall, Renee Raychel, Andrea Reistetter, Thomas Saffioti, Joseph Sinchak, Meryl Start, Donna Vasisko.

Chenango Forks — Donna Pedini. Conklin — Diane Pickert, Toni Under-

wood.
Elmira — David Elliott.
Endicott — Catherine Brewster, Stephen Burnett, Joseph Formato, Anthony Grassi, Steve Gregor, Andrea Gresko, Doreen Hamarick, Nancy Havel, Larry Moreau, Janet Morris, Janey Myles, Nicholas Scalzo, Nancy Scotcher, Patricia Shaughnessy, Ann Shelanskey, Frances Snavely, Kathleen Sokol, Michael Tomsey, Steven Webb, Carla Wood.

Endwell — Richard Bucek, Katherine Dauley, John Maliwacki, Scott Matolka, Kathleen McKee, John Moses, Sus Romano-sky, Vladimir Toman, Mark Wakulchik, Ethel Greene - Susan Barker, Margaret Board-

man.

Hauppauge — Karen Hasslinger.

Homer — Gary Gay.

Johnson City — Beverly Burns, Michael
Chambala, Theresa Houghtalen, Brian McMahon, Patricia Zwart.

Kirkwood — Thomas Jones, Joseph Koz-

Marjorie Page. Morris -

Morris — Marjorie Page.
Newark Valley — Donna Powers.
Nichols — Jeffrey Gregory.
Owego — Thomas Ludovici, Judith Mietz.
Port Crane — David Kennicutt.
Vestal — Joseph Bolan, William Brodsky,
Thomas Clover, Anita Clubb, Joseph
Dobransky, Thomas Gardner, Lisa Hagan,
Jane Husebo, Julie Miller, Carol Nunn.
Francis Poch, John Potochniak, Mary
Reardon, Laurie Reed, Susan Rockefeller,
Barbara Spring.
White Plains — Cynthia Sumper.
Whitey Point — Luanne Falciola.
Windsor — Rebecca Olin, Deborah
Simmons.

Simmons.
Pennsylvania — Kathleen Englehart
(Weatherly).

The following students have been named to the BCC President's List for academic achievement for the spring semester. This means they attained a grade point average between 3.50 and 4.00, with "A" counting a 4.00, "B" as 3.00, "C" as 2.00 and "D" as

A.00. B as 3.00, C as 2.00 and D as 1.00.

Afton — Dean Martin, Thomas Pell.

Apalachin — Mary Anne Damico,
Sharlotte Gaddes, Robert Kemmerer.

Bainbridge — David Cook, Donald Cook,
Chris Nabinger, Nance Vance.

Berkshire — Nancy McQueen.

Binghamton — Shirley Anderson, Robert Ash, Michael Bailey, Barbara Bajkowski, Jack Barletta, Carol Bengel, Jacqueline Best, Mary Bevin, Doris Borner, Lynn Brooks, Robin Brooks, Gordon Brown, Jennifer Bruce, John Bumbalo, Michael Burts, Thomas Buongiorne, Michael Burdick, Patrick Byrnes, Mary Callahan, Mary Campana, Barbara Campbell, Stephen Chris Nau-Berkshire Campbell

Campbell.
Boris Chrunyk, Robert Clark, Phyllis
Cleary, Patricia Clinton, Andrea Colby,
Rochelle Colton, Patricia Compton, Irene
Conboy, Mary Connelly, Joseph Cortese,
Tammy Cox, James Cucci, Lorraine
Dingman, Barbara Dodd, Steven Dzierba,
Philip Evans, Steven Ferranti, Carol Furch,
Stephen Galloway, Susan Galloway, Robert
Gill, Art Gladstone, Brian Gorman, Martin

Grab.
Wendy Graham, Frances Gray, Robert Greene, Charles Gruesbeck, Thomas Guth, Philip Haines, Linda Halaburka, Robert Harendza, Rebecca Hawken, Jeffrey Hawkes, Christopher Hay, John Holden III, David House, Gary Huber, Carolyn Isham, Mary Jastran, Susan Johnson, Cynthia Keefe, Eric Keyes, Kenneth Klinko, Kathleen Klysh, Patricia Krna, Allison Kyser

Klysh, Patricia Krna, Allison Kyser. Michael Leslie, Sharon Lilley, Laurie Linder, Virginia Lombardi, Steven Luckert, Stanley Mainionis, Ann Mannio, John Mannio, Susan Marier, Kathleen Martin, Nancy Martin, Susan McGuane, Darlene

— President's List –

Meeker, Debra Mertz, Anne Miller, Jay Mininger, Patricia Mortenson, Rebecca Moser, Dorothy Movlai, Mary Monyan, Kevin Murray, Joanne Nemia, Sally Neulon,

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Michael Novak, Jr., Linda O'Day, Timothy O'Hearn, Mark O'Loughlin, John O'Neill, Jr., Francine Orzel, Jerome Ozovek, Catherine Parke, Brian Pendleton, Patricia Petko, Coleen Phillips, Rosalina Randall, Terry Ray, Renee Raychel, Ellen Reagan, Andrea Reistetter, Rebecca Riley, Thomas Saffioti, Cather Sallsbury, Steven Sayko, Eric

Carolyn Salisbury, Steven Sayko, Eric Shafer.
John Shaheen, Robbin Shaheen, Joseph Sinchak, Gail Skurski, Joseph Slavetskas, Jeanne Soltis, Andrea Stark, Meryl Stark, Lynne Strauch, Mary Teubert, Cuong Tran, Carol Utter, Donna Vasisko, Stephen Vogel, D. VuHuong, Charles Wadsworth, David Walsh, Jack Weiss, Lizabeth Welch.
Castle Creek — Patricia Douglas, Diane Kelly, Gale Petraske.
Chenango Forks — Donna Pedini, Karina Ricker, Christine Sweeney.
Conklin — Jeffery Creery, Laurie Henderson, Diane Pickert, Toni Underwood.
Deposit — Craig Fritzsch, Sandra Martin, Janice Wimersberger.
East Meadow — Ila Jacobs.
Elmira — David Elliott.
Endicott — Deborrah Arnold, Roxane Bartos, John Birchall, Sally Boettger, Lisa Boris, Catherine Brewster, Stephen Burnett, Diana Cahill, Marcia Cipriano, Mark Comeno, Mary Cowan, Donna DeAngelo, Roseann Dellapenta, Marylynn Dennis, Phylis DiOrio, Debora Felice, Julie Fissler, Joseph Formato, James Frederici, Genger, Anthony Grassi, Steve Gregor, Andrea Gresko, Cynthia Griffith, Patricia Griffith, Robert Hall, Doreen Hamarich,

Nancy Havel, James Hess, Darla Huntington, Arleen Johnson, Mary Kamin, Bradley Kane, Ronald Kuracina, Connie LaCourse, Joseph Majka, Elizabeth Malloy, Susan Marca, Kathleen McKenzie, Gail McLaughlin, Janet Miller, Susan Miner, Larry Moreau, Janet Morris, Thomas Murphy.

Janet Myles, Anh Nguyen, Daniel Orband, Walter Porzucek, Kathleen Roma, Susan Rossi, Nicholas Scalzo, Nancy Scotcher, Pavid Sedelmeyer, Patricia Shaughnessy, Ann Shelanskey, Ralph Signorelli, Nancy Slama, Frances Snavely, Kathleen Sokol, Donald Struppler, Daren Tatko, Edward Thomas, Michael Tomsey, Kenneth Tripp, Valeria Vavra, Sandra Warren, Steven Webb, Terry Wier, Carla Wood, Charles Yungkurth, James Zweig.

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Endwell — Marilyn Angelo, William Austin, Marilyn Barbieri, Bryan Benjamin, Kim Bonnell, Julie Boyer, Richard Bucek, Kathleen Byrnes, David Caletka, Diane Cappelmann, Kyle Carpenter, Katherine Dauley, Thomas Devita, Michael Gibbore, Sean Kane, Gerald Kohut, Diane Kurkoski, John Maliwacki, Scott Matolka, Kathleen McKee, John Moses, Arlene Natale, Nicholas Neureuter.

Mary O'Connor, Thomas Ondrako, Francis

Pandich, Valerie Pandich, Thomas Paoletti, Pandich, Valerie Pandich, Thomas Paoletti, Scott Pasquino, Suzanne Pawletko, Valerie Powell, Sue Romanosky, Jill Savidge, Shirley Serko, David Setta, Robert Swezey, Vladimir Toman, Jim Toner, Katherine Tynan, Linda VanWinkle, Mark Wakulchik, Ethel Whittemore, Nancy Yelverton.

Greene — Alfred Amell, Susan Barker, Margaret Boardman, Lesley Hartrim, Paul Koerts, Sharon Lupka, Pamela Parks, Richard, Thomas, William Weeks.

Harpursville — Vanessa Brenner.

Hauppauge — Karen Hasslinger.
Homer — Leonard Canale, Gary Gay,
Johnson City — Marguerite Albeck, Diane
Bellingham, Thomas Bezek, Leonard Bill,
Beverlv Burns, Karen Carpenter, Michael
Chambala, Robert Conn, Linda Elisworth,
Elaine Englert, Ronald Evans, Eric Forman,
Annette Franchina, Dennis Gombita, Donald
Houghtalen, Theresa Houghtalen, Laura
Jenkins, Robert Kowalski, Brian McMahon,
Suzanne Michalak, Barbara Sulich, Nancy
Voronin, Susan Weiller, Patricia Zwart.
Kirkwood — Lesa Casella, Thomas Jones,
Joseph Kozlowski, Christy Rychlewski,
Cynthia Sabal.
Margaretville — Raymond Harris, Owen
Slade.

Slade ace. **Morris** — Marjorie Page. **New Hartford** — Joseph Fariello, Brian

Spano. pano. Newark Valley — Donna Powers. Nichols — Jeffrey Gregory, Michale

Merena.

Nineveh — Doris Van De Weert.

Ouaquaga — Lauren Bravo.

Owego — Laurie Bailey, Dale Burrell,
Thomas Ludovici, Judith Mietz, Rosemary
Salerno, James Strick, Elaine Vasilow.

Port Crane — David Kennicutt, Kathryn
Naab, Richard Wall.

Sherburne — Marieanne Brookes.

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Sidney — Tamara Panaro, David Schmidt.
Vestal — Ann Bardis, Joseph Bolan,
Timothy Bolan, Timothy Brigham, William
Brodsky, John Cabral, Bonnie Clark,
Thomas Clover, Anita Clubb, Thomas.
Courtenay, Judith Cunning, Joseph Dobransky, Thomas Gardner, Lynne Habicht, Lisa
Hagan, Kevin Hare, Don Hess, Nancy
Hiznay, Jane Husebo, Anita Jennings, Karen
Kotasek, Robin Litwhiler, Pamela Love.
Elizabeth Luciano, Deborah Macey, John
Mattimore, Julie Miller, Mary Murphy, Carol
Nunn, Francis Poch, John Potochniak, Mary
Reardon, Laurie Reed, Sharon Reed, Susan

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— About the Alumni —

J. Richard Shiel, the Democratic Party's candidate to run for mayor of Binghamton this fall, is an LA 1964 graduate of BCC.

Alan NeJame (LA-76) is the youngest member of the Johnson City School Board.

David Michalak (LA-73) has

written, directed and produced a full-length movie that he calls "The Return." It was filmed in color in Broome County with a cast of about 35, and it took two years to complete.

It's a science-fiction movie that deals with the effect of technology on the human spirit, and it was shown this spring on the BCC now working as a senior mechanical inspector for the Memorex Corp. in Santa Clara,

Maurice Battisti (LA-66) and BCC trustees Dr. John A. Manzari spoke on behalf of community colleges when the State University Board of Trustees

Joseph Machata (MT-49) is conducted a public hearing at SUNY Binghamton this spring. They made convincing presenta-

> Brother Fran Battisti (BT-68) was named to the 1977 edition of Outstanding Young Men of

Arnold Cohn (MT-61) is now a lawyer in Houston, and his brother Irving (MT-67) is an industrial engineer with Woodward Furniture in Austin, Texas.

Scott Woolsey (LA-72) will have his art work shown at the Cedar Gallery in Port Dick this

Ronald Bors (PE-62) has been named manager of budgets and forcasts for NY State Electric & Gas in Ithaca.

Ben Bartoletto (EH-71) graduated with distinction from the National College of Chiropractic in Chicago with a B.S. in Human Biology and a doctorate in Chiropractic.

Edward Fabrizio (MT-54) is now a senior engineer in the design and build support center at IBM Endicott.

Ronald Campbell (MT-63) is now a mechanical design engineer with Texas Instruments in

Lynda Helmer (LA-73) is program promotion coordinator for WSKG-TV.

Dick Baldwin To Coach Again

Dick Baldwin, who has coached basketball at Broome Community College for the last 30 years, has announced that he plans to be back at the Hornet helm next season.

His announcement ends much speculation on the BCC campus and in the community that he may retire from coaching

President's List

(Continued from page 6) Rockefeller, Mary Schramm, Mark Shalkey, Barbara Spring, Jean Van Hoff, Ann Weiler, Donna Wurth, Ted Zinski.

Barbara Spring, Jean Van Hoff, Ann Weiler, Donna Wurth, Ted Zinski. Walton — Arthur Frankowski. Waterloo — Larry Menges. White Plains — Cynthia Sumper. Whitney Point — David Buckley, Luanne

Whitney Point — Ďavid Buckley, Luanne Fa.ciola.
Windsor — Steven Call, Anne Jackson, Arminda Johnson, Mary Miller, Rebecca Olin, Noreen Pass, Patti Ryan, Deborah Simmons, Cindy Van Horn, Debra Williams, Pennsylvania — Maureen Dotzel (WilkesBarre), Kathleen Englehart (Weatherly), Debbie Gosciewski (Uniondale), Patricia Lesjack (Forest City), William Passetti (Susquehanna), Ivan Purdy (Brackney).
Connecticut — Linda Brzozowski (Southington).

BCC Expands Program Offerings

BCC has added a number of | Sciences Department and is for new program opportunities for this fall - for full-time and part-time students, for associate degrees and for certificate and diploma achievement.

They are:

• A General Business program for the Associate in Applied Science degree. Starting this fall, BCC will give this as a special day program for a particular group of students - for those who have acquired baccalaureate degrees with an intention to

But since the teaching market has shrunk in the last few years, BCC has adapted this General Business degree program to the needs of this group of students.

The adaptation has been done in such a way that students should be able to acquire the AAS degree in one academic year of study plus one summer, because they will be given credit for many courses taken during their baccalaureate years.

The purpose of this offering is to enable this group of students to become employable in the business field, in which there are

many opportunities.

• A certificate program in General Office will be launched in the fall during the day. This will be given by the Secretarial part-time or full-time students to prepare them for jobs that require some office skills but not necessarily an associate degree.

· A diploma program in data processing will be offered in the daytime, as well as in the evening again for part-time or full-time students. This is also to prepare people for positions that do not require an associate degree, and it brings this offering to day students for the first time. It has been given in the evening for a number of years.
Students can use that as a

stepping stone into the associate degree program in accounting or business administration.

It's a Winning Spring In Baseball, Tennis, Golf

The BCC Hornets were again regional powers in baseball, finishing the season with a record of 21 wins and 10 losses. Unfortuthe final loss came against Hudson Valley in the first round of the regional tournament and eliminated the Hornets.

It was a streaky season for coach Ed Daub's players, as they lost their first three games and then put together two winning streaks of four games each and another one of seven games before the final setback.

Shortstop Rob Krowiak and centerfielder Mark Farrell were chosen to the all-regional first team, with catcher Jeff Beckwith, second baseman Brian

Ficarro and third baseman Tom Duffy receiving second team

Krowiak batted well over .400 and Farrell drove in 42 runs in the club's 31 games. Joe Mickel was the leading pitcher on the club, winning 6 and losing once.

The tennis team also enjoyed a good spring, winning 9 and losing 3 dual matches and finishing second in the regionals. Dave Troisi was unbeaten in 11 singles dual matches, Don Rosics and Dick Farrell won 9 of 12.

The golf team had a 7-4 won-lost record, with 31-year-old Jerry Stephens averaging under 80 for the season.

Obituaries

MICHAEL H. MORANVILLE became a licensed pilot after his 1973 graduation from BCC, and he was killed in May when the plane he was piloting developed engine trouble near Clarksburg, W. Va.

He was 23 years old and is survived by his parents, Mr. & Mrs. William Moranville of Vestal, and his paternal grand-

DUANE J. STOLARCYK died in June at age 26 after a long illness. He is survived by his mother, Wanda Stolarcyk.

Duane was a 1970 graduate of the BCC business program and lived in Johnson City.

THOMAS W. TURSKI of Endwell passed away in April at the age of 30. He is a mechanical technology graduate of BCC, Class of 1967.

He worked for the New York State Electric & Gas Corp. and was a veteran of the Vietnam War. His survivors include his wife Diane, his parents and two

He was buried in Rotterdam, N.Y., near Schenectady.

FRANK WHITE died suddenly in June. He was 44 and is a 1977 BCC graduate in business. He is survived by his wife Doris and 3 sons and 3 daughters.

A veteran of the Korean War, he and his family have been the nursery field.

living in Harpursville.

STEPHEN R. SIRSEN died in June at the age of 42. He lived in Johnson City, is a 1955 graduate of BCC's technical office program, and worked for the New York State Electric & Gas Corp. He is survived by his parents.

VIVIAN PALMER, who graduated in 1975 from BCC's Child Care program, died in June at age 47 after a long illness, and she is survived by her husband Glenn, two sons, three daughters and her mother.

She was director of the Riverside Drive Nursery School and had developed a reputation in the community for her work in

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BCC Still Accepting Enrollments for Fall

Openings Exist In All Except 3 Programs

Three of the health science programs at Broome Community College are filled up for the fall semester, but the college still has room and is accepting applica-tions in the 21 other degree-granting curricula.

These are in the business field, health sciences, engineering and engineering technology, and liberal arts and sciences. People thinking about enrolling for the fall should not delay any longer. By getting in touch with the college's Admissions Office, they can assure themselves of a place in this fall's Freshman Class.

The three curricula that have stopped accepting applicants are in Dental Hygiene, Radiologic Technology and Medical Labora-tory Technology.

Economic Impact

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amazed to see that if the college were not here, County Government would not save any tax money and county business would suffer the loss of over \$16,000,000 in sales.

"Add the long-term economic benefits and the positive educational effects, and you see what a great asset Broome Community College is to the community.



Some of the 30 foreign students enrolled at BCC during the past academic year in Prof. Herbert Church-Smith's class "English as a Second Language."

Joe Gay Named Dean of Curriculum

sciences at Broome Community College, has been named dean of curriculum starting with the fall semester.

He recently returned to the BCC campus after an 18-month leave of absence without pay to

Joseph K. Gay, dean of health | carry out a federally funded | semester starts August 29 assignment at SUNY Binghamton for the State University Research Foundation.

He will continue as dean of health sciences at BCC for the rest of the summer and assume his new duties when the fall

As dean of curriculum, he will be responsible for program development and evaluation, accreditation of the college's curricula, remedial and non-traditional programs, and international education.

Acting dean of business Robert Cann and acting dean of science and engineering technology Edward Dougherty will return to teaching in their respective areas. George Higginbottom will continue as dean of liberal arts and Gino Canale is still the dean of continuing education.

In other recent administrative changes at the college Jon Lewit has become the director of the Computer Center and James Thompson has transferred from the Business Division faculty to the Computer Center, replacing Lewit who replaced David Copeland who took a job in Michigan.

Modified Plan C

(Continued from page 1) required. Up to now, full legislative approval was needed. The college retains the right to hire at the minimum salary levels

• The college may now decide for itself how to spend its money for buildings and grounds equip-ment, supplies and similar funds. It still may not make transfers or adjustments in personnel, fringe benefits or capital projects,

which account for about 85% of the budget.

• The college president now has administrative authority over grants coming to the college. It had been necessary for each grant to be approved by the County Legislature.

• The college president and trustees can now authorize sabbatical leaves, provided they are to be used for advanced study in the faculty member's disci-

 The college administration and trustees ageed to serve on the negotiating committee for faculty contracts and to provide monthly reports on transfers, personnel changes, monthly ap-propriations ledgers and monthly

The county reserved the right to hire the auditor who will conduct an annual audit of the college's books.